

REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register: 19 February 1997
Name of applicant/court: Secretary for Internal Affairs
Applicant to the Labelling Body: Not Applicable
Title of Publication: Kidnapped Volume 2 Number 7
Other Known Titles: Kidnapped
Director: Not Applicable
Producer: Not Applicable
Publisher: Hom Inc.
Author: Not Applicable
Format: Magazine
Country of Origin: USA
Language: English

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Components of film originally examined: Not Applicable.

Feature: Running time:
Trailers: Running time:
Total Running time:

Excision/Alteration: No.

Reason(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

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Classification Decision:

Objectionable.

Display conditions:

Not Applicable.

Descriptive Note:

Not Applicable.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: Not Applicable.

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SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:

The magazine *Kidnapped Volume 2 Number 7* features photographs depicting females bound with ropes in various positions, with some photographs including whips resting against various parts of their bodies. This is supported by salacious text that refers to females being bound and trained by male masters. There are vivid descriptions of the marks on the females' skin from the whippings, the females' discomfort, how they are bound and the struggles and cries of women which pass unheeded. Because of this content the magazine promotes and supports the use of violence and coercion to compel persons to participate in, and submit to sexual conduct; and promotes and supports the infliction of extreme violence and extreme cruelty. The publication is therefore classified as:
Objectionable.

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